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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Brian Kwon
Group Art Unit : 1614
Applicants : Pines et al.
Application No. : 09/762,715 Confirmation No.: 3572
Filed : June 18, 2001
For : INHIBITION OF PATHOGENIC PROCESSES
RELATED TO TISSUE TRAUMA

New York, New York
July 24, 2003

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P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Examiner's Action dated January 24, 2003. With the extension, a response is due on or before July 24, 2003. A check in the amount of \$465.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit overpayment of same, to

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Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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